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ELECTION IN RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 6, 2004, Applicant elects Group II, Claims 5-8 and 22-34. The Examiner is cordially invited to telephone the undersigned at (619) 338-8075 for any reason which would advance the instant application to allowance.

Respectfully submitted,



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